



### Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/669,471-Conf. #4852 First Named Applicant: Kouji YOKOUCHI

Examiner: F. I. Ehichioya Art Unit: 2162 Status of Application: Non-Final Office Action mailed April 12, 2007

**Tentative Participants:**

(1) Examiner Ehichioya (2) Catherine M. Voisin  
(3) \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: \_\_\_\_\_ Proposed Time: \_\_\_\_\_ (AM/PM)

**Type of Interview Requested:**

(1) ☐ Telephonic (2) ☒ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

### Issues To Be Discussed

| Issues<br>(Rej., Obj., etc) | Claims/<br>Fig. #s | Prior<br>Art                                           | Discussed                | Agreed                   | Not Agreed               |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) <u>35 USC § 101</u>     | <u>7-18</u>        | _____                                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (2) <u>35 USC § 103</u>     | <u>1-18</u>        | <u>Tanaka et al. in<br/>view of Romanik<br/>et al.</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (3) _____                   | _____              | _____                                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

☐ Continuation Sheet Attached

**Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:**

Claims are patentable over cited art for the reasons set forth in Applicant's concurrently filed Reply.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on \_\_\_\_\_.

**NOTE:**

This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP §713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

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Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

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Examiner/SPE Signature

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Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

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